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Traffic Report from Reichsbahndirektion Berlin for June 1949

1 FREIGHT TRAFFIC

a. Total Freight Traffic	Carloads in June	Carloads in May
Dispatched		
Commercial freight	20,355	20,285
Occupation freight	3,253	3,477
Received		
Commercial freight	54,173	56,568
Occupation freight	7,336	7,678

b. Individual Commodities	Carloads in June	Carloads in May
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Potatoes

For East Berlin 1,070 (16,458 t) 5,592 (91,774 t)

Bread grains and flour

For East Berlin 469 (7,136 t) 691 (10,598 t)

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Other foodstuffs

For East Berlin 1,366 (20,744 t) 1,515 (23,624 t)

Coal - dispatched

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Lignite
Gas coke29 (539 t) 23 (426 t)
475 (8,672 t) 491 (9,843 t)

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<u>Individual Commodities</u>	<u>Carloads in June</u>	<u>Carloads in May</u>
Coal - received		
Briquettes	19,931	16,379
Other coal	6,524	8,338
(Ruhr coal)	(188)	(2,004)
Building material		
Received	1,739 (27,086 t)	1,766 (27,006 t)
Dispatched	3,930 (61,719 t)	2,964 (46,465 t)
Small shipments		
Received	2,035	2,537
Dispatched	2,075	2,319
Milk		
Received	- 1,176 tons	- 1,542 tons
Dispatched	- 80 tons	- 48 tons

c. Occupation Freight

Dispatched			50X1-HUM
Russian	3,253	3,423	

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Received			50X1-HUM
Russian	7,307	6,872	

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2. GENERAL SITUATION

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The car loading was satisfactory, even the transshipment train to boat was smoother than in the previous month. On the whole the loading backlogs were reduced during the month.

3. INTERNATIONAL AND INTERZONAL TRAFFIC

a. Because of the well-known situation there was no inter-zonal traffic during the entire month.

b. <u>International traffic</u>	<u>Carloads in June</u>	<u>Carloads in May</u>
Dispatched to Russia and Poland via Küstrin		
Commercial traffic	119 (1,812 t)	618 (9,914 t)
Occupation traffic	omitted	omitted

Received from Russia and Poland via Küstrin		
Commercial traffic	32 (361 t)	170 (1,785 t)
Occupation traffic	omitted	omitted

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<u>International traffic</u>	<u>Carloads in June</u>	<u>Carloads in May</u>
Dispatched to Russia and Poland via Frankfurt/Oder		
Commercial traffic	7,857 (94,284 t)	9,214 (110,568 t)
Occupation traffic	1,424 (17,088 t)	1,624 (19,488 t)
Received from Russia and Poland via Frankfurt/Oder		
Commercial traffic	2,562 (46,098 t)	2,453 (44,154 t)
Occupation traffic	2,064 (36,792 t)	2,101 (37,818 t)

4. TRANSSHIPMENT TRAFFIC

<u>a. Rail to Ship</u>	<u>Commodity</u>	<u>Carloads June</u>	<u>Tons June</u>	<u>Carloads May</u>	<u>Tons May</u>
Berlin-Osthafen	Potassium fertilizers	677	10,543	365	5,890
	Cement	-	-	132	2,024
	Briquettes	-	-	517	9,844
Berlin-Tegel	Hard coal	22	470	-	-
Fürstenberg	Hard coal	3,313	73,106	2,528	52,910
	Briquettes	118	2,232	122	14,276
	Gravel	27	538	54	1,183
Königs- Wusterhausen	Briquettes	4,525	34,262	4,321	60,653
Total		8,687		8,639	
<u>b. Ship to Rail</u>					
Berlin-Osthafen	Building materials	33	1,444	100	1,495
	Hard coal	1,122	21,108	351	6,225
Brandenburg- Altstadt	Hard coal	113	3,637	222	4,347
	Service coal	104	2,006	117	2,386
	Scrap metal	13	253	13	641
Frankfurt	Hard coal	314	11,543	443	5,879
Fürstenberg	Scrap metal	10	60	13	137
	Hard coal	75	1,495	241	5,625
	Waste products	4	67	4	43
Ketzin	Briquettes	50	470	69	1,004
	Waste stones	51	925	33	570
Velten	Hard coal	206	4,719	-	-
Total		2,625		1,720	

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